

107TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 862

To amend title 38, United States Code, to add Diabetes Mellitus (Type 2) to the list of diseases presumed to be service-connected for veterans exposed to certain herbicide agents.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 6, 2001

Mr. EVANS (for himself, Mr. FILNER, Mr. REYES, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. FRANK, Mr. FROST, Mr. KLECZKA, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. MASCARA, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. PASCRELL, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. BALDWIN, and Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. PRESUMPTION THAT DIABETES MELLITUS**
2 **(TYPE 2) IS SERVICE-CONNECTED.**

3 Section 1116(a)(2) of title 38, United States Code,
4 is amended by adding at the end the following new sub-
5 paragraph:

6 “(H) Diabetes Mellitus (Type 2).”.

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